Beta Sigma Phi Notes

Shown above, left to right, Annette Williams, Dana Irby, Betsy Keaton, Christine Knight, and Alice Johnson, ladies who have taken their Ritual of Jewels, at the home of Sheila Smith, making them full-fledged members of Delta Zeta. This is but one of many steps in the life of a Beta Sigma Phi making it a happy event for all of us.

Shown above is Cheryl LeGrand, left, and Diana Williams, right. Cheryl is accepting a yellow rose, the flower of Beta Sigma Phi, from Diana, who is the President of Delta Zeta for the coming year. Cheryl is a new pledge and we are so happy and proud to have her as a member.

Beta Sigma Phi is an organization that has been around Appomattox for a long time - 10 years in fact. Our chapter, Delta Zeta, is one of many throughout the world with 250,000 members plus. Many illustrious women are members including Mrs. Barry Goldwater, Margaret Chase Smith, and Miss Linda Van-Dyke, 1963 Miss America.

Our members come from all walks of life, making the chapter so much richer in human experiences. Our motto on the crest shown above is "Life, Learning, Friendship", and as members we try to follow the guidelines of the motto.

In the last several years, Delta Zeta has been growing quietly, but rapidly. Some of our new members are pictured above.

The next article will discuss the chapter's service projects.

Hazel Ghioto, Reporter

photo by Joe Vaughan

Pamplin Major League Team

Players and their coaches of the Pamplin Major League Baseball team are shown in the above photo. Players are, front row, left to right, Timmy Tolley, Dale Glover, Jim Hix, Jeff Phillips, John Phillips and Ricky Chandler; and on back row, left to right, Henry Simmons, coach, Jonathan Pickett, Tony Williams, Scott Stevens, Kevin Jagger, Kim Simmons, and Coach Jimmy Womack.

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The Angels - Babe Ruth League

Members of the Angels baseball team of the Babe Ruth League are shown in the photo above. Players on the front row, left to right, are Byron Roach, Dwayne Scruggs, Jeff Daulton, Earnie Chenault, Andrew Kelso, Gregg Daulton; on the back row, left to right, are Frankie Tanner, Phillip Seay, R. L. Harris, Andy Wingfield, David Bohannan and Gus Paulette. With team is Manager Mike Weakley. Coach Albert Harvey was not present for pieture.

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Oakville Major League Baseball Team

Players and their coach of the Oakville Major League Baseball Team are shown in the above.

On the front row, left to right, players are Frankie McCormick, Johnny McFadden, John Jerry McCoy, and Greg Mosley; players and coach on the back row, left to right, are Mike Lorenzo Culpeper, Dennis Cunio, Don L. Trent, Marvin Johnson, Bucky Tetty and Moore. Not available for the picture were Hunter Martin and Kim Humbles.

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Appomattox Athletics - Babe Ruth League

Players, coach and manager of the Appomattox Athletics Team of the Babe Ruth L shown in the photo above. Players on the front row, left to right, are Chuck Davis, Jam J. C. Davidson, Steve Cobb, Ned Davidson and Danny Slough. Shown left to right on the are Coach Vernell Mitchell, Tommy Stanley, Freddy Mitchell, Andy Johnson, Danny Larry Kelso, Reid Johnson, and Teddy Mitchell who is team manager.

Chestnut Grove

Mrs. K. M. Beasley, Jr. and Kathy visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clemons and other friends in Woodbridge last week.

Mrs. T. N. Saul and Mrs.

Mrs. Ruth Beasley spent last week with relatives in and around Richmond.

Mrs. T. N. Saul and Mrs. Janie Repass were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Senger.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Morris and Cindy arrived here Sunday from Highland, California. We are glad to have them here living again.

Sunday visitors of Mrs. Katherine Carson, of Spout Spring, were Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Beasley, Jr. and Kathy.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Beasley, of Roanoke, spent the holiday week end with Mr. and Mrs. Kemper M. Beasley, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Kelby Branch at Buckingham.

Russell L. Harris returned home from the Virginia Baptist Hospital in Lynchburg Saturday where he was a patient for over two weeks. His visitors Saturday were his brothers, Bennie and Monroe and Mr. and Mrs. Nealy Harris, all of Richmond.

Harry Bryan of Maryville, Tenn., spent a part of last week with grandparents and were overnight guest.

Wednesday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Morris were Mrs. Lewis Morgan of Appomattox, Mrs. Lightfoot Crews of Portsmouth, Mrs. Ray Crews of Lansing, Michigan.

Kenneth Cook, of Prospect, spent the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cook.

Karen Harris left Sunday for Fairfax where she is enrolled as a student at Clasco computer school.

Food Shopper

by Cathy B. Hinton
Va. Dept. of Agriculture & Commerce

The bargains are there if you open your eyes! That's right, if you start comparing today's food prices to last year's food prices you'll make some amazing discoveries. Of course, sugar prices are up and such items as canned goods are higher in price. But, have you compared fresh meat and turkey prices to last year?

Getting into the beef category specifically you will see much lower prices than last year. For example, approximately one year ago boneless chuck roast sold for $1.67 per pound while now it averages around $1.28 per pound. Another item to compare is ground beef which is included on just about everyone's weekly menu. One year ago it sold for $1.09 per pound while this year it's selling for an average price of $.87 per pound. These figures are taken from the Va. Dept. of Agriculture & Commerce retail price survey done in the Richmond area.

Checking the turkey area you'll find prices are running lower than last year plus turkey is an advertised special many times throughout the year. It's a very economical and versatile protein choice. Finally, we've gotten away from the traditional turkey at holidays only. Now it's turkey year round from roast turkey with all the trimming to barbecued turkey. Don't forget that when large turkeys are on sale have your butcher saw it in half and save half for a future meal.

Fresh produce prices fluctuate throughout the year with price and supply predictions continually changing. Two of the big bargains that are currently good buys are white potatoes and yellow onions. Yellow onions are running as low as $.05-$.07 per pound with many store featuring the ten pound bag. Both of these items can be included in the menu in numerous exciting dishes. Soups, casseroles, and vegetable side dishes are just a few ideas.

Next time you make up your weekly menu check the advertised specials to see if turkey, potatoes and onions are listed at low prices. Be sure and include them on your shopping list.

Energy Saving Tips For The Week

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If you do buy synthetic garments, choose those that require little or no ironing to conserve the energy cost of upkeep.

When installing outdoor lighting, check into mercury vapor lamps which surpass considerably in can decent lighting in efficiency and life span.

Save energy by cooking double recipes for meals like salads, soups, spaghetti sauce or stews. Refrigerate or freeze half for future use.

Whenever practical, use a steamer or pressure cooker to prepare several foods at the same time. Many such utensils have partitioned inserts to allow cooking several vegetables simultaneously.

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Large Crowd Attend Gospel Four Anniversary

A large crowd attended the second anniversary program of the local Gospel Four Quartet last Sunday evening at 7 p.m. at the Galilee Baptist Church. The following local musical groups appeared on the program: The Gospel Wonders of Cartersville, The Jordan Junior Choir, The Mount Zion Junior Choir, The Harps of Zion, The Soul Searchers, all of Appomattox, The Stars of Faith of Fluvanna. Several solos were rendered. The Reverends J. D. Scruggs and C. W. Lewis presided. The public offering was lifted by deacons Bass Ferguson and Mr. Chamber. An anniversary cake was presented the group by Mrs. J. D. Scruggs on behalf of the local Soul Searchers. The pastor of the church gave the closing remarks and commended the local group for its progress during the last two years.

Plans have been completed **for the anniversary** celebration of the Galilee Senior Choir to be held on the third Sunday in this month at 3 p.m. Local choirs have been invited to take a part in the program.

A large crowd attended the regular preaching services at the Zion Baptist Church last Sunday morning. The Rev. L. E. Hankins was the guest speaker. The offering for the day was very good. Rev. and Mrs. Hankins and daughter, Debra, were the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rosser Edwards.

The general public is cordially invited to attend the annual homecoming and the beginning of the annual revival of the Morning Star Baptist Church this Sunday at the regular morning worship. The afternoon service will be conducted by the Rev. Raymond Turner and his St. Mark Church and Senior Choir. The Rev. Roger Ford will be the speaker for the week.

An overflow crowd of relatives and friends attended the funeral services for the late Sp.4 Ida Laverne Hicks at the Zion Baptist Church Saturday, July 5 at 12 p.m. The Rev. R. Q. Lawing served as master of ceremony. The following order of service was carried out: Processional, Opening Hymn, Sulphur Spring Junior Choir; Prayer, Rev. Wyatt Venable; Scripture lesson, the master of ceremony; Hymn, the choir; Acknowledgements, Mrs. Ora Smith; Selection, choir; Eulogy, Rev. James E. Franklin, N.Y., grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Franklin, Pamplin, seven aunts, four uncles, a beloved godmother, Mrs. Ida Carter, New York City, and a host of other relatives and friends. Out-of-town guests who attended the funeral were Messers Joseph and Jacob Johnson, N.Y.; Mrs. Rosa Dowdy, Baltimore; Messers Sherman Jennings, Washington, D.C., Ray Hunter of New York; Mrs. Gertrude Clark and Miss Thelma Hamlette. The family takes this opportunity to thanks all relatives and friends for all kindness shown during their great lost.

Sp. 4 Ida Laverne Hicks

Recessional. Interment was held in the Franklin Family cemetery with full military rites. Sp. 4 Hicks was born in New York City, Feb. 12, 1953. She spent her early life here in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Franklin, Sr. At an early age she joined the Zion Baptist Church, where she served in the Sunday school and on the Usher Board. When she went to live with her mother in New York she joined the Greater Zion Baptist Church of Bronx, N.Y., under the pastorate of the Rev. Charles Britt. There she served as a member of the Willing Workers Club and the Gospel Chorus. She attended Paff High School and the Bronx Community College. She was employed for a few years in the medical department of the Martin Luther King Medical Center. In 1972 she was married to Alonzo Hicks of Bronx, N.Y. In 1973 she joined the U.S. Army where she served in the medical battalion until her death on Sunday, June 29. She leaves to cherish her memory a husband, Sgt. Alonzo Hicks, Fort Ord, California, a mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Jackson, Bronx,

Rocks

JULY 7 - So thankful for the rain here over the week end.

Mrs. Mary Sue Blaxton, of Five Forks, spent last Sunday with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Frank Ranson, and Grace, of Pamplin.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Maxwell, of Morgan, Utah, are here visiting relatives. They were visiting his aunt, Mrs. Lockie Martin last Sunday of Evergreen, and his uncle, Graydon Maxwell, of Pamplin.

Steve Williams and father, of Waynesboro, were here one day last week visiting Mr. and Mrs R. E. Roach, of Pamplin.

Everyone is glad to hear that Toby Inge is improving at the Virginia Baptist Hospital and has been put in a room.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Roach were visiting Toby Inge at the hospital Monday.

Mrs. Alese Cumby spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Richardson.

Some of the ladies took advantage of the cannery at Pamplin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Richardson and boys returned Tuesday from a short vacation in South Carolina.

A number from here attended the funeral of Paul Arrington at Jones-Ash Funeral Home in Heathsville with interment in Bethany Baptist Cemetery of Callao on Thursday. Sympathy is extended the family.

A number of campers were camping up beyond Lynchburg over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thackston, of High Point, N.C., spent the 4th of July week end here with her mother, Mrs. Maude Ranson, and others.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Roach spent the week end in Waynesboro with their daughter, Dora Jean, and family.

About 75 attended the July 4th spectacular at Rocks on Friday. Everyone had very enjoyable day. To close the day we had a prayer session and group singing and Steve Burnett was baptized.

WRECK ISLAND EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS CLUB

The Wreck Island Extension Homemakers Club will meet on Wed., July 16, at 11 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Elsie Krantz for a covered dish luncheon. The demonstration will be on Casserole Dishes.

All members are urged to make plans to attend.

Pamplin

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramsey, of Waveland, Miss., are visiting his mother, Mrs. Charles Ramsey, Madisonville.

Mr. and Mrs. David Summers and son, David, of Fairview, W. Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Underwood and son, of Front Royal, have returned to their homes after a visit with their parents, The Rev. and Mrs. Durward Fox.

Mrs. Bascom Williams and son, Emmette, of Richmond, returned home last Sunday after a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Delano, of Warsaw, spent last week end with her mother, Mrs. Fannie Tillery.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hill, of Princeton, W. Va., have returned home after spending last week end and visiting her mother, Mrs. E. N. Cunningham, and son, Cliff Welch.

Mrs. Rixey Southall, Jr., of Louisa, visited Mrs. A. R. Southall and Mrs. Lizzie Robinson last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cobb and sons, Steve and Tom, have returned home after a vacation at Myrtle Beach, S.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Ligon, of Denver, Colorado, are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. David Savitz enroute from visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Perrin in Pennsylvania, spent last Saturday night with her parents and left Sunday morning for Myrtle Beach and Columbia, S.C.

Steve Franklin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Franklin of Pamplin, left last Thursday for a vacation in Wisconsin.

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